

are encouraged and will be accepted for sixty days until April 28, 2003.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other form of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of This Information Collection

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Application for asylum and for withholding of removal.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form I-589. Office of International Affairs, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* *Primary:* Individuals or households. This information collection will be used to determine whether an alien applying for asylum and/or withholding of deportation in the United States is classifiable as a refugee, and is eligible to remain in the United States.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 78,000 responses at 12 hours per response.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 936,000 annual burden hours.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please contact Richard A. Sloan 202-514-3291,

Director, Regulations and Forms Services Division, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U.S. Department of Justice, Room 4304, 421 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536. Additionally, comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time may also be directed to Mr. Richard A. Sloan.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, 601 D Street, NW., Patrick Henry Building, Suite 1600, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: February 19, 2003.

Richard A. Sloan,

Department Clearance Officer, Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Bureau of Labor Statistics

Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting and Agenda

The fifth meeting of the Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee will be held on March 21, 2003 in the Postal Square Building, 2 Massachusetts Avenue NE., Washington, DC.

The Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee is a technical committee composed of economists, statisticians, and behavioral scientists who are recognized for their attainments and objectivity in their respective fields. Committee members are called upon to analyze issues involved in producing Federal economic statistics and recommend practices that will lead to optimum efficiency, effectiveness, and cooperation among the Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis and Bureau of the Census.

The meeting will be held in Meeting Rooms 1, 2, and 3 of the Postal Square Building Conference Center. The schedule and agenda for the meeting are as follows:

9:15 a.m. Opening Session

9:30 a.m.

1. Comparison of expenditure estimates, Consumer Expenditure Survey (CE) and Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE).

2. Comparison of movements in the CPI and PCE price indexes.
- 11:30 a.m. Progress Report: Research into the use of hedonics in the CPI.
1:15 p.m. Agency edit procedures.
3:15 p.m. Benefit usage data in the Employment Cost Index (ECI).
4:15 p.m. Priorities for future meetings.
5:00 p.m. Conclude (approximate time).

The meeting is open to the public. Any questions concerning the meeting should be directed to Margaret Johnson, Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee, on Area Code (202) 691-5600. Individuals with disabilities, who need special accommodations, should contact Ms. Johnson at least two days prior to the meeting date.

Signed at Washington, DC the 19th day of February 2003.

Kathleen P. Utgoff,

Commissioner of Labor Statistics.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

DATE: Weeks of February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 2003.

PLACE: Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public and Closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Week of February 24, 2003

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of February 24, 2003.

Week of March 3, 2003—Tentative

Monday, March 3, 2003.

10 a.m.—Briefing on Status of Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards (NMSS) Programs—Waste Safety (Public Meeting) (Contact: Claudia Seeling, 301-415-7243).

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.
2 p.m.—Discussion of Security Issues (Closed—Ex. 1).

Week of March 10, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of March 10, 2003.

Week of March 17, 2003—Tentative

Thursday, March 20, 2003.

10 a.m.—Briefing on Status of Office of Nuclear Security and Incident

Response (NSIR) Programs, Performance, and Plans (Closed—Ex. 1).

2 p.m.—Discussion of Management Issues (Closed—Ex. 2).

Week of March 24, 2003—Tentative

Thursday, March 27, 2003

10 a.m.—Briefing on Status of Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research (RES) Programs, Performance, and Plans.

This meeting will be webcast live at the Web address—<http://www.nrc.gov>.

Week of March 31, 2003—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the Week of March 31, 2003.

*The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice. To verify the status of meetings call (recording)—(301) 415-1292. Contact person for more information: David Louis Gamberoni (301) 415-1615.

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Additional Information: By a vote of 5-0 on February 13, the Commission determined pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(e) and § 9.107(a) of the Commission's rules that "Affirmation of Pacific Gas and Electric Co. (Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, Units 1 and 2), Docket Nos. 50-275-LT, 50-323-LT," be held on February 14, and on less than one week's notice to the public.

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The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the Internet at: <http://www.nrc.gov/what-we-do/policy-making/schedule.html>.

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This notice is distributed by mail to several hundred subscribers; if you no longer wish to receive it, or would like to be added to the distribution, please contact the Office of the Secretary, Washington, DC 20555 (301-415-1969). In addition, distribution of this meeting notice over the Internet system is available. If you are interested in received this Commission meeting schedule electronically, please send an electronic message to dkw@nrc.gov.

Dated: February 20, 2003.

David Louis Gamberoni,

Technical Coordinator, Office of the Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application To Withdraw From Listing and Registration on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. (Cabot Industrial Properties, L.P., 7.125% Redeemable Notes (due 2003)) File No. 1-14979

February 19, 2003.

Cabot Industrial Properties, L.P., a limited partnership under the laws of the State of Delaware ("Issuer"), has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and Rule 12d2-2(d) thereunder,² to withdraw its 7.125% Redeemable Notes (due 2004) ("Security"), from listing and registration on the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. ("NYSE" or "Exchange").

Cabot Industrial Trust, the sole General Partner of the Issuer ("Sole Partner") approved resolutions on February 12, 2003 to withdraw the Issuer's Security from listing on the NYSE. In making its decision to withdraw the Issuer's Security from the Exchange, the Sole Partner states that pursuant to an Offer to Purchase and Consent Solicitation Statement dated January 15, 2003, the Issuer has offered to repurchase all of the outstanding Security and has solicited the consent of the holders of the Security to certain amendments to the indenture under which the Security was issued. As of January 29, 2003, the Issuer had received consents sufficient to amend the indenture and had received valid tenders for 98.13% of the aggregate outstanding principal amount of the Security. The Issuer states that once the offer is successfully consummated, the Issuer expects there to be few or no remaining holders of the Security.

The Issuer stated in its application that it has met the requirements of the NYSE rules governing an issuer's voluntary withdrawal of a security from listing and registration. The Issuer's application relates solely to the Security's withdrawal from listing on the NYSE and from registration under Section 12(b) of the Act³ and shall not affect its obligation to be registered under Section 12(g) of the Act.⁴

Any interested person may, on or before March 14, 2003, submit by letter to the Secretary of the Securities and

Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549-0609, facts bearing upon whether the application has been made in accordance with the rules of the NYSE and what terms, if any, should be imposed by the Commission for the protection of investors. The Commission, based on the information submitted to it, will issue an order granting the application after the date mentioned above, unless the Commission determines to order a hearing on the matter.

For the Commission, by the Division of Market Regulation, pursuant to delegated authority.⁵

Jonathan G. Katz,

Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Issuer Delisting; Notice of Application To Withdraw From Listing and Registration on The Boston Stock Exchange, Inc. (Chiquita Brands International, Inc., Common Stock, \$.01 par value, (the "Old Common Stock" in existence through March 19, 2002)) File No. 1-10550

February 19, 2003.

Chiquita Brands International, Inc., a New Jersey corporation ("Issuer"), has filed an application with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission"), pursuant to Section 12(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act")¹ and Rule 12d2-2(d) thereunder,² to withdraw its \$.01 par value, (the "Old Common Stock" in existence through March 19, 2002) ("Security"), from listing and registration on the Boston Stock Exchange, Inc. ("BSE" or "Exchange").

On February 13, 2002, the Board of Directors ("Board") of the Issuer approved resolutions to withdraw the Security from listing on the Exchange. The Board states that the following reasons factored into its decision to withdraw the Security from the BSE: (i) The Security has not traded on the BSE since March 19, 2002, on which date the Issuer emerged from a reorganization under Chapter 11 of the United States bankruptcy laws, and in connection with the reorganization, canceled all of its securities outstanding prior to the effectiveness of the reorganization and issued new common stock (the "New Common Stock") and other securities to

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78l(d).

² 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).

³ 15 U.S.C. 78l(b).

⁴ 15 U.S.C. 78l(g).

⁵ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(1).

¹ 15 U.S.C. 78l(d).

² 17 CFR 240.12d2-2(d).